

### Opening of Veterinary Dispensary Belgaum

591. SRI G. L. ASHTEKAR (Bagewadi).—Will the Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs and Veterinary and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of applications received from Belgaum Taluk for opening of Veterinary Dispensary;

(b) the number of them sanctioned;

(c) when they will be opened?

SRI Y. RAMAKRISHNA (Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs and Veterinary and Animal Husbandry).—

(a) Four (4).

(b) (c) Nil. proposals will be considered soon after requisite technical staff is recruited.

### Supply of Firewood to Periyapatna Taluk

759. SRI K. S. KALAMARI GOWDA (Periyapatna).—Will the Minister for forests, Mines and Geology be pleased to state.—

(a) the average number of tonnes of firwood that would be supplied per month to the fuel dept, run by corporation in Periyapatna Taluk;

(b) the number of Kilograms of Firewood are allowed to be supplied to each family?

SRI G. MADE GOWDA (Minister for Forests, Mines and Geology).—

(a) An average of 80 tonnes of Firewood per month is being supplied to the Depot run by K.S.F.I.C. in periyapatna Taluk.

(b) 250 Kilograms of Firewood is being supplied per month by the K.S.F.I.C. for domestic consumption in commensurate with the stock of fuel in their depot.

### Functioning of Government Dairy farm at Belgaum

852. SRI N. B. SIRDESAI (Khanapur).—Will the Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs and Veterinary and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state.—

(a) whether there is a State Government Dairy Farm or Milk Collecting Centre at Belgaum;

(b) if so, whether pure milk or toned milk is sold to the Consumers;

(c) the quantity of milk collected and purchased per day by the said Farm;

- (d) whether milk is collected and purchased from the Registered Dairy Societies or from the local milk mau;
- (e) the income and expenditure of the Dairy Farm per day;
- (f) the capacity of the creaming plant installed by the Dairy Farm?

**SRI Y. RAMAKRISHNA** (Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs and Veterinary and Animal Husbandary).—

- (a) There is a Government Dairy at Belgaum.
- (b) Milk collected from the producers is being standardised to 4.6 + 1% Fat and 8.5% S.N.F. and sold to consumers.
- (c) Daily average of Milk collected is 11,103 liters,
- (d) Milk is being collected both from the Milk Producers Co-operative Societies and individual producers.
- (e) Average income per day is Rs. 27,286.91. Average expenditure per day is Rs. 28,430.50 Expenditure is more than the revenue due to the following reasons.—

1. Cost of Dairy materials used daily has increased considerably.

2. Due to revision of pay scale and enchancement of D.A. from time to time the cost of establishment has increased.

3. The cost of transportation for procurement and distribution of milk has gone up considerably due to increase in the cost of petrol, diesel oil and other lubricants, spare parts etc.

(f) There are two Cream Separators installed at the Dairy with a capacity of 500 literes per hour per separator.

#### **Working of X-Ray plant at General Hospital Tiptur**

856. **SRI V.L. SHIVAPPA** (Tiptur).—Will the Minister for Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state.—

(a) the date on which the X-Ray Plant has been newly installed at the General Hospital, Tiptur in Tumkur District

(b) whether it has come to the notice of Government that the X-Ray Plant is not useful ever since its installation;

(c) if so, measures taken for its repair?

**Completion of Bridge across P.W.D. Road Mantur-Nagarhalli villages in Dharwad District.**